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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
G. Gutierrez, et al.
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of December 14, 2005, please amend this application
as follows:

The Amendment to the Specification is on page 2.

The Amendment to the Claims is on pages 3 to 5.

The Remarks begin on page 6.